

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

Donald Mitchell, Jr.,

Case No.: 2:19-cv-01933-JAD-DJA

## Plaintiff

V.

Brian Williams, et al.,

## Defendants

## **Order Extending Deadlines in Light of Upcoming Global Settlement Conference**

[ECF Nos. 18, 25]

A virtual, global settlement conference is set for January 27, 2022, in this matter and  
all others that Plaintiff Donald E. Mitchell, Jr., has pending in this district.<sup>1</sup> Mitchell asks  
the court to stay his cases pending that settlement conference.<sup>2</sup> I do not find that Mitchell has  
demonstrated that a complete stay of this action is necessary, so I thus deny his motion to stay  
the case.<sup>3</sup> But to avoid prejudice to the parties, I sua sponte extend the deadlines impacted by  
the pending settlement conference.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that

- The motion to stay [ECF No. 25] is DENIED;
  - The deadline to file dispositive motions, currently set for January 18, 2022, [ECF No. 18] is extended to February 18, 2022; and

<sup>1</sup> ECF No. 24.

|^2 ECF No. 25.

<sup>3</sup> This order addresses this case only; it does not decide whether a stay is appropriate in Mitchell's matters pending before other judges in this district.

- The deadline to file the joint pretrial order is extended to February 25, 2022.

If dispositive motions are filed, the date for filing the joint pretrial order will be suspended until 30 days after a decision on those motions or until further order of the court.

U.S. District Judge Jennifer A. Dorsey  
Dated: January 7, 2022

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